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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For: MULTI-BEAM SCANNING
OPTICAL APPARATUS AND
IMAGE FORMING
APPARATUS USING THE
SAME

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AMENDMENT

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